

## **Application for LAUC-Systemwide Secretary, 2015-16**

### **Christina Cicchetti, UC Riverside**

#### **Candidate's Statement of Interest**

LAUC's mission is to serve as an advisory body on library and information systems in the UC. Many of our campuses have undergone significant reorganizations, and even the basic definition of who qualifies as a librarian and therefore as a LAUC member is in question. The advisory role of LAUC is as timely as ever.

I have served twice as the secretary of the LAUC Riverside Division. This experience provided me the opportunity to become better acquainted with issues and procedures in the libraries of the University of California, and I appreciated the window this experience afforded into the workings of other libraries in the UC system. I look forward to expanding my understanding of other libraries in the system, becoming better acquainted with colleagues at other campuses, and to making a contribution in the broader arena of LAUC.

The role of secretary provides for timely communication of organizational information to a geographically dispersed membership, a task that I am well able to accomplish. If elected, I will provide timely access to meeting minutes and the other important details of LAUC business. Thank you for your support.

#### **Biographical Summary**

##### **Education**

Ed.S.	La Sierra University	2006	Curriculum & Instruction
M.S.	Drexel University	1987	Information Studies
B.A.	Walla Walla College	1983	Humanities

##### **Recent Professional Experience**

2007-2013. *Reference/Education Librarian*, University of California, Riverside, CA.

2004-2007. *Education Librarian*, University of La Verne, La Verne, CA.

2001-2004. *Chair of Public Services*, La Sierra University Library, Riverside, CA.

2000. *Reference Librarian*, Escondido Public Library, Escondido, CA.

1987-1999. *Curriculum Resource Center/Reference Librarian*, La Sierra University, Riverside, CA.

##### **Selected LAUC-R Activities**

CACLS Ad Hoc Committee Chair, 2011; CACLS Alternate, 2011-12; CACLS Member, 2014-2017

Delegate and Executive Board Member, 2011-12; 2014-15

Program Committee, Chair 2009-10, 2013-14; Member 2012-13

Secretary and Executive Board Member, 2008-09; 2010-11

### **Selected UC-Wide Library Activities**

Chair, Education Bibliographer's Group, 2013- present  
Resource liaison for the ERIC database, 2010-present  
UCR campus liaison to CDL Users Council, 2009-present

### **Selected Service to the Profession**

EBSS Reference Sources and Services Committee, Member, 2013/14; co-Chair, 2014/15  
EBSS Program Planning Committee for ALA Annual, Member, 2013/14  
EBSS Curriculum Materials Committee, Member, 2010/11-2011/12

### **Selected Professional and Creative Activities**

"Postsecondary Perspectives on Lifelong Learning Essentials." Co-presented with Debbie Renfrow and Karin Griffin at the *1<sup>st</sup> Annual LILi Conference*, San Juan Capistrano, CA, August 4, 2014.

"The Role of the Curriculum Materials Center in Teacher Preparation." Webinar presented for the Special Libraries Association, Education Division, March 14, 2014.

"Information and Digital Literacies Essentials for College Readiness." Webinar co-presented with Annette Marines and Lesley Farmer for the *Information and Digital Literacies Essentials Webinar Series*. Sponsored by the California School Libraries Association, the California Department of Education, and the California Technology Assistance Project, May 9, 2013.